



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
(Attorney Docket No.: 109779-129)

**Applicant(s):** Newnam, et al.  
**Serial No.:** 09/804,815                   **Examiner:** Collins, Scott M.  
**Filed:** March 13, 2001                   **Group Art Unit:** 2145  
**For:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPERATING INTERNET-BASED  
EVENTS

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## **AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action of May 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.



## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Application No. 09/804815-Conf. #2040	Filing Date March 13, 2001	Examiner S. M. Collins	Art Unit 2145
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Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPERATING INTERNET-BASED EVENTS

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